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December 2020 Newsletter

Dear Parents/Riders:

We hope everyone had a happy Thanksgiving! We're looking forward to our December day camps/clinics and a great holiday season.

Congratulations to

The Equestrian Reserve 2020 Show Team

The RHSC Year End Awards Banquet is January 17, 2021. Many of our team members qualified for Champion, Reserve Champion or placed in the top 6!

Congratulations to:

Scottie Chandler for passing Level I

December Lessons

Payment Policy: Reminder we prefer checks over cash, but if paying with cash, we do require an email from you stating you paid with cash and the date so we can send you a receipt. We do not accept credit cards. Speak to Hannah if another form of payment can be set up.

December Tuition is due at your first lesson of the month to avoid a \$10 late fee and the whole month should be paid in full at that time.

Lessons are \$65 per lesson if attending weekly and \$75 per lesson if attending anything less than weekly. Tuition due for December if riding weekly is below. If riding less than weekly, multiply your number of lessons for the month by \$75.

- **4 Mondays, Saturdays, Sundays @ \$260**
- **5 Tuesdays, Wednesdays @ \$325**
- **4 Thursdays @ \$260 (or 5 @ \$325 if you'd like makeup)**
 - We will be closed on Christmas Eve 12/24, but please let us know if you'd like a makeup.
 - We will be open on New Year's Eve 12/31 but may be in touch regarding an earlier lesson time. Let us know if you're going to be absent.
- **3 Fridays @ \$195 (or 4 @ \$260 if you'd like makeup)**
 - We will be closed on Christmas Day 12/25, but please let us know if you'd like a makeup.

YES we will have lessons the entire week of Christmas and New Year's except for Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Year's Day. Please let us know if you will be absent from your lesson at any time during the Winter Break or if you'd like to schedule an extra lesson at any time.

Christmas and Holiday Gift Ideas

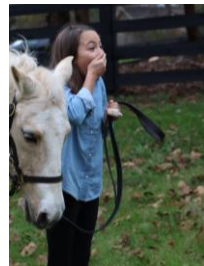
You may want to consider any of the following gift ideas as the holiday season is just around the corner.

Order by WEDNESDAY Dec 2

The Equestrian Reserve Logo Wear Hoodies, Weatherproof Jackets & more



More Ideas: Under Armor tops and bottoms, insulated riding boots and winter riding gloves. Just ask us if you need to see samples of any of winter riding apparel items or where to purchase or order. Riders who have been with us for a year or so may also be ready to get their own pair of spurs. These would make great gifts too!



Excited to become a part owner!

Make a wish come true for you rider! In time for Christmas, we have a few horses available for our joint partnership program. Email interest and we will fill you in.

Upcoming Events

See the bulletin board/website for registration forms. These extra activities can be a great Christmas or holiday gift.

Winter Break Activities

Jumping and/or Western Trail Mon Dec 21

The World of Showing Clinic

will be offered at least two of these dates:

Tues Dec 22, Wed Dec 23, Tues Dec 29, Mon Jan 18

Showmanship Clinics

Tues Dec 22, Wed Dec 23, Sat Dec 26, Tues Dec 29, Sat Jan 2, Sat Jan 16, Mon Jan 18
Several options/ times to work on this skill for the upcoming show season. We will run 3 or 4 of these clinics.

We Love Horses Day Mon Dec 28 - FULL

Western Riding and Horsemanship Tues Dec 29

THE HORSE PROJECT I or II

Tues Dec 29 11:00am-4:00pm, Wed Dec 30 10:00am-3:00pm, Thurs Dec 31 11:00am-4:00pm (3 Day Camp)

FUN DAY Wed Dec 30

IMPORTANT 2021 HORSE SHOW SEASON IMPORTANT

If you were interested in showing in 2021 and have not yet attended a parent info meeting, contact Hannah ASAP.

For our returning show team and new show team who attended the meetings, reminder your packets are due back to us by December 15.

Requirements to show in 2021:

- Attend the parent info meeting
 - Rider must pass Level I
- Rider must attend one of our World of Showing clinics (see dates above)
- Observe one show either in the 2020 season or one of the February 2021 shows

Show Clothes and Tack Sale: NOW - Jan 31

Find great deals and bring in your items to sell.

Each year we run our annual show clothes and tack sale in our office. This also can include helmets, everyday riding boots and winter riding boots too. Every item must have an envelope safety pinned to it with your name, the price you want and item description. You also submit a signed agreement from along with a comprehensive list of everything you are trying to sell. Please bring your own sturdy hangers. The Equestrian Reserve is not liable for any items and we are requiring sales to be by check. No cash.

Happy Holidays!

Donna, Hannah, Niki and all of the staff at the Equestrian Reserve